ORDINANCE NO. 96-45

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, REPEALING ORDINANCE 95-28, THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, 1993 EDITION; ADOPTING THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, 1996 EDITION, PROVIDING FOR APPLICABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEALS OF LAWS IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 90-445, Laws of Florida, as amended, the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County is empowered to adopt various updated minimum construction codes for all municipal and unincorporated areas within Palm Beach County, including but not limited to the National Electrical Code; and

WHEREAS, the Building Code Advisory Board of Palm Beach County has recommended that the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County adopt the National Electrical Code, 1996 edition, as the minimum construction standards within Palm Beach County.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA that:

SECTION 1 - AUTHORITY

This Ordinance is promulgated pursuant to Chapter 90-445, Laws of Florida.

SECTION 2 - CODE REPEALED

Palm Beach County Ordinance 95-28, the National Electrical Code, 1993 edition is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3 - CODE ADOPTED

The National Electrical Code, 1996 edition, is hereby adopted as the minimum Electrical Code for all municipalities and unincorporated areas within Palm Beach County, Florida.

SECTION 4 - APPLICABILITY

This ordinance shall be applicable throughout the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Palm Beach County, pursuant to the Charter of Palm Beach County, Florida, Section 1.3.

SECTION 5 - REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT

Ordinance 95-28 is hereby repealed and all ordinances, or parts of ordinances of Palm Beach County, Florida, which are in conflict are hereby repealed. All or any part of those local laws which pertain to the municipal or unincorporated area of Palm Beach County, Florida, which conflict with this ordinance or parts of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6 - SEVERABILITY

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this ordinance is for any reason held by the Court to be unconstitutional, inoperative or void, such holding shall not affect the remainder of this ordinance.

SECTION 7 - EFFECTIVE DATE

The provisions of this ordinance shall become effective March 1, 1997.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, on the 15 day of October, 1996.

PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

By: _____
Chair

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

By: _____
Assistant County Attorney

DOROTHY H. WILKEN, CLERK BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Filed with the Department of State on this 23rd day of October, 1996.

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF PALM BEACH
I, DOROTHY H. WILKEN, ex-officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners do hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of the original filed in my office on 10/15/96
DATED at West Palm Beach, FL on 10/31/96
DOROTHY H. WILKEN, Clerk
By: Phyllis A. House D.C.

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COUNTY: (PALM BEACH) COUNTY ORDINANCE # (96-45)
(e.g., 93 - 001)

PRIMARY KEYFIELD
DESCRIPTOR: (BUILDING CODES)

SECONDARY KEYFIELD
DESCRIPTOR: ( )

OTHER KEYFIELD
DESCRIPTOR: ( )

ORDINANCE DESCRIPTION: (NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE)
(25 characters maximum including spaces)

ORDINANCES AMENDED: (List below the ordinances that are amended by the this legislation. If more than two, list the most recent two.)

AMENDMENT # 1:( ); AMENDMENT # 2: ( ).

ORDINANCES REPEALED: (List below the ordinances that are repealed by this legislation.)

REPEAL # 1: (95-29); REPEAL # 3: ( );
REPEAL # 2: ( ); REPEAL # 4: ( );

(Others repealed:list all that apply): _____

(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY): COUNTY CODE NUMBER:( )

KEYFIELD 1 CODE: ( ) KEYFIELD 2 CODE: ( )

KEYFIELD 3 CODE: ( ) Rev. 6/29/93